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DES PUBLIC HEARINGS ON CHILD CARE & DEVELOPMENT FUND

(Phoenix, May 9, 2007) The Department of Economic Security's (DES) Child Care Administration (CCA) has scheduled public hearings on the Child Care & Development Fund (CCDF) State Plan. The public hearings are scheduled for the following dates:

IN PHOENIX	IN TUCSON
Wednesday, May 30 th -5:00 to 7:00 p.m. State Capitol W. Wing - Basement Grand Canyon Conference Room 1700 W. Washington, Phoenix	Thursday, May 31 st - 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Arizona State Office Complex First Floor – Room 158 400 W. Congress, Tucson

The purpose of the public hearings is to provide the public with an opportunity to comment on the provision of services identified in the CCDF State Plan. The Plan, which must be submitted to the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services by June 30, 2007, will become effective on October 1, 2007.

The Draft State Plan will be available at the Public Hearings and will also be available for review after May 22nd, 2007 at the following DES CCA District offices:

DES CCA District I
3443 N. Central, Ste 606
Phoenix, Arizona
Tel. # (602) 255-3729

DES CCA District II
400 W. Congress, Ste. 420
Tucson, Arizona
Tel. # (520) 628-6810 x 230

DES CCA District III
397 Malpais Lane, Ste. 3
Flagstaff, Arizona
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350 W. 16th St., Ste. 232
Yuma, Arizona
Tel. # (928) 782-4343 x 3165

DES CCA District V
2510 N. Trell
Casa Grande, Arizona
Tel. # (520) 836-2351 x 209

DES CCA District VI
820 E. Fry Blvd.
Sierra Vista, Arizona
Tel. # (520) 459-5008 x 230

Additionally, the Draft State Plan is expected to be available for viewing on the Internet (after May 22nd 2007) at <http://www.azdes.gov/childcare/default.asp>.

Written comments on the Plan may also be submitted by Friday, June 1st, 2007 to: CCDF State Plan Comments, DES Child Care Administration, 801A, P.O. Box 6123, Phoenix, Arizona 85005; or by FAX to (602) 542-4197. Comments may also be submitted via e-mail by Friday June 1st, 2007 at: tzabicki@azdes.gov. For more information contact: Tony Zabicki - DES Child Care Administration at (602) 542-1962.